

Amendment No. 1 to HB1981

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1623*

House Bill No. 1981

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-6001(b), is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision (2) and renumbering the current subdivision (2) as subdivision (3):

(2) If an assessment required under subdivision (b)(1) is misadministered by fault of the assessment provider, then the assessment provider must respond as follows:

(A) An incident report on the misadministration must be provided to the department of education and the LEA or LEAs in which the misadministration occurred. The incident report shall provide remediation plans that will result in reportable scores, if possible;

(B) The assessment provider shall reimburse the LEA or LEAs in which the misadministration occurred for any exam that does not result in a reportable score for the student; and

(C) Within thirty (30) days of discovering a misadministration, the assessment provider shall notify each student impacted by the misadministration of an opportunity for the student to take the assessment again at no charge.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.